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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Supplemental to the Amendment filed December 27, 2002, please amend the captioned application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 6 and 13 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please add new claims 33 and 34 as follows:

33. {NEW} An aiming device for aiming and visually indicating a reading area of a coded information reader, comprising:

means for emitting a light beam;

means for deflecting at least one first portion of the light beam so as to generate at least two different beam portions active on at least two different zones of a reading area of a coded information reader along at least two different optical paths;

wherein the means for deflecting at least one portion of the light beam consists of a

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RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

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Total effective claims after amendment   **32**   minus highest number
previously paid for   **32**   (at least 20) =   0   x $ 18.00 $ 0.00

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